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The Insurgents Are of the Belief That Solomon's Charms Will Turn the Bullets.

AGUINALDO HAS ONLY FEW MEN WITH HIM.

The Rebels Acknowledge They Cannot Stand American Shells and Bayonet Charge—They Say Thousands Americans Slain.

Manila, March 24.—The enemy is extremely active in the vicinity of Malabon preparing defenses, evidently anticipating an attack. They keep well under cover. A small body of rebels, however, emerged from the jungle on the extreme left Thursday and fired upon the Kansas troops in the trenches fatally wounding Private Cohen of company B, and Private Must of company K. The Oregon volunteers and the Twenty-second regulars marched to the front.

The Third and Seventeenth regiments have disembarked from the Sherman.

General H. G. Otis' brigade has struck tents and an early movement is probable.

Sixteen English refugees have arrived here from Dagupan, a railroad terminus, on board the steamer Saturnus. They report the natives generally friendly, and the officers are invariably courteous. Mr. Higgins, manager of the railroad, and about a dozen unmarried men in charge of various business interests, declined to take advantage of the opportunity to leave.

Nothing has been heard from the two American planters at Calumpit since hostilities began.

According to Filipino accounts thousands of Americans were killed, the fatalities being especially heavy at Calocan, where the United States troops "rushed like madmen against a storm of bullets."

Two Spanish prisoners, who escaped from Polo to the lines of the Kansas regiment, report the Filipinos have congregated their forces at Malabon and Polo. They add that only Aguinaldo's bodyguard is at Malolos and the rebel leaders apparently intend to stake their fortunes on a fight at Malabon, where it is expected an engagement will take place.

If defeated, it is further asserted, the rebels intend to disperse to the swamps and mountains. The rebels are putting the Bolos in front, believing the Solomon's charms will avert the bullets. The Bolos, Filipinos greatly outnumber the rifles in their hands.

The rebels, it is further said, have admitted that they could not stand the American shells and bayonet charge.

The escaped Spaniards corroborated the stories told of food shortage among the rebels and they added the hospitals are short of supplies.

Otis' Plans About Perfected.

Washington, March 24.—It is understood here that General Otis has about matured the plans of his campaign and within a week or ten days will be able to begin a movement which is expected to mark the destruction of Aguinaldo's army. Although stragglers and fugitives may infest the islands for some time it is believed after Otis delivers the next blow, the insurgent army as an organization will have ceased to exist. The new movement will be a combined land and water attack.

Stranded Negroes Given Work.

New York, March 24.—The 104 negroes who came from Oklahoma expecting to be shipped to Liberia and who have been stranded for nine days at the Central railroad station, Jersey City have been provided for. The Cliff Wood Brick company of Matawan, N. J., has agreed to hire all the men and such of the boys as are big enough to work. In the meantime the Rose and Baptist mission societies of New York have undertaken to supply the immigrants with food.

Killed a Negro Burglar.

Bluefields, W. Va., March 24.—While O. H. Skinner, a saloonkeeper, was lying ill in an upper room of a house near Gray, he and wife were attacked by a negro who assaulted them and attempted robbery. Skinner regained himself enough to get his revolver and while the man was attacking his wife shot him three times in the head, killing him almost instantly. Skinner was acquitted from all blame by the coroner's jury.

Hanging in Maryland.

Chestertown, March 24.—Joseph Wright, colored, was hanged in the jail-yard here today. Wright shot William Newcombe, an old colored man, on the night of Nov. 3, 1897, killing him almost instantly.

Li Returning to Power.

Pekin, March 24.—It is learned on good authority that Li Hung Chang is again upon the point of returning to power.

THE ARMY REGISTER.

It Does Not Mention Those Received Medals or Were Promoted.

Washington, March 24.—Interesting facts concerning the army are contained in the Army Register for 1899 published by the war department. The new register still places Brigadier General C. P. Egan at the head of the commissary department and no mention of his military punishment appears in the volume.

The regular force sustained a loss of 20 commissioned officers killed in action, six died as a result of wounds received in action, 75 died from other causes and one was dropped.

There will be a great deal of criticism throughout the army at the omission from the new register of the list of those who have received medals of honor and the exposition of the reasons which induced the president to confer brevet rank upon many officers.

There is no change in the list of major generals of the regular service, but in the list of brigadier generals the name of General Guy V. Henry is inserted, he having taken the place vacated in consequence of the retirement of Gen. J. J. Coppinger. Brigadier General A. M. Piller, recently appointed will retire on Monday next.

Of the general and staff officers of volunteers 21 had resigned before Jan. 1, 39 declined appointments, 12 died and 275 were honorably discharged.

FIRE AT CLEVELAND.

Two Firms Burned Out and a Fireman Crushed by a Wall.

Cleveland, March 24.—Fire broke out early today in the jannanning department of the big Dangler Stove and Manufacturing company's plant here. Notwithstanding an enormous quantity of water poured into the building by 15 engines, valuable machinery and a large quantity of manufacturing goods were practically destroyed. The high winds which prevailed caused the fire to spread to the plant of the Cleveland Machine Screw company, adjoining the Dangler works, and it was also destroyed. The loss on the Dangler works is conservatively estimated at \$300,000, and on the Cleveland Machine Screw plant at \$50,000. Insurance small.

Three hours after the fire started a falling wall at the screw works fell, burying beneath it Lieutenant Roth of fire company No. 7. It is believed he was instantly killed. His body has not yet been recovered.

A Christian Science Affair.

Kansas City, March 24.—Clarence Wayland, 20-months-old son of J. E. Wayland, died here of scarlet fever, and much indignation is expressed by the neighbors over the refusal of the child's mother, who is a Christian Scientist, to allow a physician to treat it. Wayland, the child's father, is not a scientist and when the child became ill he insisted upon calling a physician. His wife objected, and during his absence spirited the child away to her mother's home. Wayland secured a physician and appealed to the police, securing a warrant for the arrest of his wife and mother-in-law. The officers compelled the woman to allow the physician to prescribe for the child, but it was beyond the reach of medicines when the doctor arrived.

In a Tangled Condition.

Wichita, Kas., March 24.—The law providing a city court for Wichita went into effect Wednesday and no officers have been appointed by the governor to fill the places. It is the opinion of County Attorney Amidon and other local attorneys that the jurisdiction of all justices in the city has expired and that no warrants can be issued for the arrest of any person within the corporate limits. There are two persons in the county jail charged with murder, and their attorneys have planned to release them on a writ of habeas corpus. The whole affair is in a very tangled condition, the majority of local attorneys being of the opinion that no criminal proceedings can be brought without going miles into the country before justices of the peace.

Bodies of Three Negroes Found.

Jackson, Miss., March 24.—The bodies of three negroes who were taken from an officer of the law and lynched by an armed mob near Silver City in Yazoo county a week ago, have been found. After being shot to death the bodies of the victims were weighted with bundles of cotton bale ties and thrown in the Yazoo river. The negroes were Minor Wilson, C. C. Reed and Willis Boyd. They were ringleaders of the negroes in a race encounter on the Midnight plantation more than a week ago.

Enlisting Men for the Navy.

San Francisco, March 24.—Men are being enlisted for the United States steamers Nero, Farragut, Ranger, Pen-

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THE SENATE RECORD.

Number of Bills Introduced and Passed by That Branch of Congress.

Washington, March 24.—B. S. Platt, enrolling clerk of the senate, has prepared a statement giving in figures the results of the work of the last congress. The statement shows that 1457 bills and joint resolutions became law out of a total of 18,463 introduced in both houses, of the measures introduced 13,608 were presented in the house and 5555 in the senate. Of those which became laws 942 originated in the house and 515 in the senate, there were only two direct vetoes during the congress, one of these applying to a senate bill and the other to a house measure. There were in addition to these four bills which failed to become laws because they were not approved by the president.

Poison in His Coffee.

Princeton, Ky., March 24.—James H. Dildine, a tramp whose home is in Lima, O., died at the railroad depot here. He was once a prominent railroad man. He came here from Paducah. It seems to have been a suicide. While at Paducah he got hold of some wood alcohol and partook of it freely, but with no serious results. He picked up an empty fruit can here, in which he made some coffee, which he drank. Shortly afterward symptoms of poisoning were apparent. Physicians were summoned, who did all in their power to counteract the effects of the poison, but he died in agony. His father has been notified and the remains will be shipped to Lima, O.

Serious Prairie Fire.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 24.—Thos. Montgomery, who is here from Mount Blanco, received information to the effect that a most disastrous prairie fire had swept over portions of Hale, Floyd and Motley counties, doing great damage, especially to the small farmers. The fire, Mr. Montgomery is advised, originated in Hale county, near Plain View, and came east into the counties of Motley and Floyd for about 40 miles. He did not learn how wide the strip was covered by the flames. The fire extended over a portion of the Matador ranch.

TEXAS LEGISLATURE.

Governor Sayers Sends in Another Railroad Bill Veto.

Austin, March 24.—It was house bill day yesterday in the senate and a number of bills were disposed of.

The bill prohibiting railroads from charging more or less than the bill of lading calls for, was passed under a suspension of the rules.

House bill to regulate the drilling, operation and abandonment of petroleum oil, natural gas and mineral water wells, and to prevent certain abuses connecting therein, passed finally under a suspension of the rules.

House bill amending the general drainage laws was passed finally under a suspension of the rules.

The senate considered the bill by Mr. Yantis to locate permanently at Austin the court of criminal appeals.

The bill was killed by having its enacting clause stricken out by a vote of 14 to 8.

The next bill was a joint resolution by Goss providing for a state constitutional convention with favorable majority and adverse minority report.

The resolution was killed by the adoption of the adverse minority report by a vote of 21 to 3, Davidson, Goss and Yett voting nay.

In the house the bill establishing a normal school at Denton passed to engrossment after a discussion of more than an hour.

The house passed the senate bill to provide a uniform method of electing school trustees in independent districts, defining the duties of such trustees in reference to election of superintendents of schools and the control of schools and repealing articles 4008, 4019, 4020 and 4021 of the revised statutes.

A message was received from the governor vetoing the bill to authorize the Gulf, Beaumont and Kansas City Railway company to purchase and operate the Gulf, Beaumont and Great Northern Railway company.

Mr. Bailey moved to take up the sheriff's and constables' fee bill and pass it over the governor's veto.

The motion was debated, but adjournment was taken before any action.

Almost Wiped Out.

Nashville, March 24.—The little town of Liberty, in DeKalb county, is almost wiped off the map. A furious tornado swept over it Wednesday night, wrenching trees from their roots and felling houses in all directions. The Christian church, a handsome brick structure, was blown to pieces in the onset, and people were panic-stricken. Damage to property in the storm's path is enormous, but no fatalities are reported.

County Judge Kills a Lawyer.

Franklin, Tex., March 24.—W. A. Gray, ex-superintendent of public instruction, and for several years a lawyer of the bar, was shot and instantly killed inside his yard at his doorstep. County Judge O. D. Cannon was immediately taken into custody and officers at once spirited him away to Calvert. Particulars unknown.

Attorney and Judge Fight.

Sweetwater, Tex., March 24.—In a fight here Thursday between Judge C. P. Woodruff an attorney, and Judge John H. Cochran, county judge, the latter was badly bruised. Judge Cochran fired two shots at Judge Woodruff, missing his mark, but seriously injuring R. P. Watts, a block away.

Sentenced to Life Imprisonment.

Clay Center, Kas., March 24.—John Gilbert, who slew his wife and four children with a hatchet on Feb. 28 last, pleaded guilty when put on trial here and was sentenced to death. This under the Kansas law, means life imprisonment, as no recent governor has signed a death warrant.

Two Bridges Burned.

El Paso, March 24.—Two Southern Pacific railway bridges, 70 miles west of Del Rio, Tex., near Lozier, were burned, presumably by tramps. A number of tramps were kicked off a freight train in that vicinity and it is believed they adopted this means of getting even.

Captain Johnston Dead.

Paris, Tex., March 24.—Captain Jas. B. Johnston, an old citizen and ex-Confederate, died at his home here. He was 59 years old and had lived in Lamar county about half a century. He died of meningitis, following the grippe, after a sickness of a few days.

Montezuma University Destroyed.

Birmingham, Ala., March 24.—Montezuma University at Bessemer has been totally destroyed by fire. The fire originated from a defective flue and 40 pupils got out of the building without injury.

A Five Year Sentence.

Bonham, Tex., March 24.—The jury in the case of Jeff Ford, charged with highway robbery, returned a verdict finding Ford guilty and assessing his punishment at five years in the penitentiary.

Pope Granted Bail.

Clarksville, Tex., March 24.—Jack Pope, charged with the murder of Louis Dover at English last Saturday, had a preliminary trial before Justice Splawn and was granted bail in the sum of \$1000.

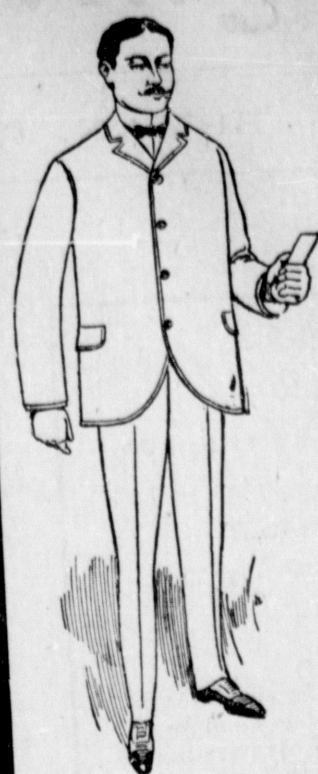
Gave Her Children Morphine.

La Grange, Tex., March 24.—Mrs. Molter near this city caused the death of two of her children by administering morphine. She attempted to commit suicide but failed.

One of the Injured Dead.

Omaha, March 24.—Mrs. Mary A. Williams, fatally injured in the Patterson block fire, died, making the third death. All the other injured are doing well.

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No doubt Gov. Hogg thinks Odell should drop the "d" and pick up a piece of the alphabet a little further along.—Ex.

The Terrell Index timely remarks: "Where in the world did Old Gomez hide that Cuban army of 48,000 men while Uncle Sam's soldiers were shedding their blood for Cuban liberty?"

The Moccabees are as popular a lot of gentlemen as can be found anywhere, and the organization is a growing one. In fact, the increase in membership in the past few years has been remarkable and attests the soundness of the principles underlying the organization.—Waco Telephone.

This congress easily surpasses all its predecessors in the stupendous aggregate of its appropriations. It was thought that the fifty-first congress, known as the "billion dollar congress" had, in point of extravagance of appropriations, touched a limit which would not be reached or at least surpassed by any of its successors. This congress, however, has far exceeded the appalling total of appropriations then made and it will be remembered that the "billion dollar congress" was followed by overwhelming disaster to the republican party at the ensuing election.—Comanche Chief.

If your eyes are causing you trouble Dr. Seymour can remedy them. 102

Taxes, taxes, taxes! Tariff taxes, stamp taxes, taxes on tobacco and spirits. Taxes on what we eat, on what we wear, on what we drink; taxes when we send a telegram, taxes when we send an express package, taxes when we sell land, taxes when we give a check on the bank, taxes when we buy medicine. Taxes, taxes, taxes! And yet a great big deficit is looming up in the national treasury. Directly that sacred reserve of one hundred millions will be reached, and then bonds, bonds, bonds! But we have McKinley and prosperity, Mark Hanna and imperialism, and ought not to complain if they do come high, very high. They are luxuries only America can afford, and let us try to be cheerful!—Bell County Democrat.

This morning Mr. Ike Jones was telling a party about the accidental killing of a valuable pet bird dog belonging to the family, and which, he said, was the smartest dog he ever saw—possessing almost human intelligence. The dog had his faults, like all dogs, and his greatest fault was that he would chase rabbits when out on a bird hunt. And this indirectly brought about his death, for while Mr. Henry Jones and a gentleman friend were hunting near Glidden a rabbit jumped up and this dog gave chase. Mr. Jones called the dog back and, intending to fire a shot over the dog to scare it, he accidentally hit the dog and killed it. The mortally wounded brute limped up to his master, laid down at his feet, looked up in his face as much as to say, "You didn't intend to do it," and died.—Columbus Tribune.

Smoke General Arthur cigars, the best in town, sold at the Exposition saloon 126

Dr. W. I. Seymour, the eminent eye specialist, will visit our town the 24th and 25th. He will have offices in the Exchange Hotel parlors. Consultation will be free. 102

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LOCAL NEWS.

For good beef—Trant's market. 107
Albert Worley went to Waco yesterday.
Cottage home for rent after April 1st. 103 C. A. Adams.
R. P. Reese of Pensacola, Fla., is in the city.
Fresh turnips and cabbage at D. Mike's. 107
George and Will Prater have gone to Kansas City.
W. E. Astin was here from Hearne yesterday.
Born to Prof. and Mrs. T. S. Minter, a daughter.
Mrs. J. H. Astin is visiting Mrs. R. R. Knowles.
Flower pots, fancy and plain, all sizes, at Emmel's. 107
W. R. Oliver, has gone on a ten days trip to Cameron.
Try the new "Sul Ross" cigar sold by Clarke & Dansby. 103
Buy the Best Beef Brought to Bryan at Trant's market. 107
Dr. J. B. Cruse of Iowa, was a visitor to the city yesterday.
Clever butchers and tender meat at W. P. Trant's market. 107
Mrs. Thompson of Wellborn, was a visitor to the city yesterday.
Arthur Blake of Toronto, Canada, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Bowers.
Jardinieres in variety of sizes and colors, very pretty, at Emmel's. 107
Tom Roberts, with the M. K. & T., at Dallas, is here visiting his parents.
Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Wadsworth were here from Thompson Creek yesterday.
A. Sharp and Brit Moon were here from Marquez, Leon county, yesterday.
Mr. Joe Howard and daughter, Miss Lillie, were here from Wheelock yesterday.
Uncle Johnny Mallett and Dave Wells were here from Grimes county yesterday.
Miss Mary Lou Thomas has returned to Navasota after a visit to relatives here.
Col. L. L. Foster and Prof. J. H. Con- and wife, were here from College yesterday.
LOST—A black shepard dog with leather collar. Reward for return to J. Adams. 102
You will have an opportunity to consult the noted optician Dr. Seymour at the Exchange hotel. 102
I have some new patterns in ingrain wall paper which are beauties. See them. W. A. Dodson. 105

Two venires, one of 80 and another of 75 men, were required to secure a jury in the Jesse Ellison case. The case was called Thursday morning and the work of securing the jury occupied two days. The jury is as follows: A. W. Dyess, R. M. Wilson, W. R. Thomas, C. B. Battle, A. B. Gandy, Sam I. Lee, Dan Zuber, J. W. Shaw, I. F. Thompson, Lum Benson, W. F. Bullock, J. P. Locum.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shepard of the Kurten community lost their 8-months-old babe in a very tragic way Thursday. The little one got hold of a box of morphine tablets while the family was at breakfast and in playing with it the box came open and the infant swallowed some of the tablets before it was discovered. A physician was immediately summoned but medical skill was without avail and the little one died.
Mistrot Bros. & Co. announce their grand spring millinery opening Monday and Monday evening, March 27. The display of new millinery will be most complete and elegant, and will include all the newest styles and ideas of the art this season.
Visitors from Madison county yesterday were R. H. Payne, Luther Payne, Jim Jeffries, D. A. Blunt, Bob Thickey, Louis Nabors, Wall McDonald, C. A. Griffin.
LOST—Mouse colored or dun mule, fresh roached. Got out of my lot near Millican. Liberal reward for the mule or any information concerning it. A. J. Smith, Millican.
John M. Caldwell has the old Mitchell pasture in charge. Good grass and water. Pasturage 50c per month or 5 cents for day pasturage. Apply at store or residence. 112
Dr. Seymour, the eminent eye specialist, is at the Exchange hotel, and had a large number of patients yesterday, some of them coming from a distance.
Remember Dr. Seymour will not be here but two days—the 24th and 25th—at the Exchange Hotel. Consultation free. 102
Lon Johnson has the cheapest and finest samples of wall paper and room moulding ever seen in Bryan. 11
Clarke & Dansby have received a carload of the celebrated "Albatross" flour. 103
Drink Mount Vernon Pure Rye sold at the Exposition Saloon. 126
The Bells.
Amusement lovers have a rare treat in store in the coming of The Bells concert company to the Grand opera house Wednesday night, March 29. The company includes some of the finest singers and musicians traveling, the instruments used being piano, violin, guitar, mandolin and zither. Admission price 25, 50 and 75 cents.

Exchange Hotel Arrivals.

S R Shumway, Galesburg, Ill; J Shapira, Madisonville; C B Lucas, Berclair; B F Bridges, Dallas; Dr. Seymour, Houston; A Ritter, Philadelphia; G W Griswold, St. Louis; H A Mason, Dallas; A H Worden, San Antonio; W J Burns, Chicago; R P Reese, Pensacola; J W Doremus, J E Butler, R G Tabor, City; Dr. J B Cruse, Iowa; George Bosselman, St. Louis; J A Burrows, Cincinnati.

Dr. Tabor discovered nine new cases of smallpox yesterday. Of these V. C. Marek and two children have very mild cases of varioloid, not being confined to their beds. The other cases were all negroes—two being at Mudville where they went from Bryan; one two miles south of town; two in freedman town, and one in the western part of town. Dr. Tabor has ordered tents and cots from the state authorities at Austin to provide additional accommodations at the pest house.

Lucas & King shipped 12 cars of cattle from the oil mill to Chicago Thursday night, instead of ten cars, as stated yesterday morning. They made another big shipment of 14 cars yesterday afternoon, 7 cars going to St. Louis and 7 to Kansas City. More cars have been ordered for further shipments.

LOST—A white Scotch terrier with black spots; brown leather collar with steel name plate but no name. Liberal reward for return to residence of Dr. W. H. Willson. 105

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Arrangements Being Perfected to Lay Off and Disband Cuban Troops.

Havana, March 24.—The embarkation of the volunteer regiments which are to be returned to the United States for mustering out is proceeding rapidly. The Olivette Wednesday took away two companies of the Second South Carolina and five companies of the same regiment sailed Thursday on the Yarmouth. These two vessels will make return trips from Tampa for the rest of the regiments. One of the Ward Line steamers which has arrived, was also chartered for a trip to Savannah and will carry to the port another regiment from General Lee's command. The command at Buena Vista is rapidly diminishing in size, but the site is such an excellent one that some of the regular troops now quartered elsewhere near this city will be sent there as the volunteers are withdrawn.

It is said that one of the results of Secretary Alger's visit to Havana, will be the consolidation of the present military divisions. In that case this city and province, now separate departments, will shortly become a single command. Pinar del Rio might also be conveniently attached to the new department established here.

The secretary of war arrived here Thursday. He will spend Friday in consultation with the commanders stationed in the neighborhood and on Saturday he will start on a Pullman car for a short trip to Pinar del Rio, Matanzas and possibly Cienfuegos.

As the result of fresh conferences between General Brooke and General Gomez, Colonel Carlos Cespedes started for the eastern end of the island to arrange with the army chiefs of the First and Second corps for the disbandment of the soldiers. Colonel Cespedes is an intimate political and personal friend of General Gomez and resigned a seat in the military assembly when that body abolished the generalship post as commander-in-chief of the army. During the war he served as civil governor of the eastern department, and he is consequently familiar with conditions there. He will visit Manzanillo, Santiago, Guantanamo, Bayamo and Tunas, returning in about three weeks.

General Betancourt, of Matanzas province, Pedro Diaz, of Pino del Rio, Gonzales Roban, and other chiefs who favor immediate payment of the troops, have had another meeting and it is understood that they are now ready to co-operate with the government paymasters in making the distribution. It is probable that the payment will be made in Spanish silver instead of gold, American silver and United States currency. In Spanish silver, the amount to be disbursed would be \$3,914,141, a much larger apparent allowance to each man.

The military assembly held a meeting at Cerro Thursday afternoon and passed the resolution offered on Tuesday by Gualberto Gomez for a reorganization of the army pending the discussion of the question of dissolution. The radical assembly leaders hope to be able to retain in a sort of standing army of about 8000 or 10,000 men, and the proposed reorganization looks to the possible re-enlistment and the maintenance of a portion of the army, which will be paid off under the terms of the Despaigne resolution to be voted on tomorrow.

Spanish In Cuba Harassed.

Havana, March 24.—That Cuban and Spanish rancors and hatreds, the outgrowth of the war conditions are still actively pursued in Cuba is evidenced by a communication recently sent to Governor General Brooke by Senor Lanuza, head of the department of justice and public instruction. He says it is a matter of daily occurrence in different parts of the island that proceedings will be taken against those who belonged to the guerrilla or other Spanish forces during the war for the crimes imputed to have been committed at that time. Cuba's peace, Senor Lanuza adds, requires this to be stopped.

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New Assurance Issued	168,043,739.00
Income	50,249,286.78
Assets December 31, 1898	258,369,298.54
Assurance Fund (\$198,898,259.00) and all other Liabilities (2,160,550.27)	201,058,809.27
Surplus	57,310,489.27
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LYNCHING MEN BY WHOLESALE.

Seven Bodies of Negroes Found and Others Believed to Be Dead.

MOBS HUNTING FOR OTHERS.

It Is Said That Twenty-Three Are Sought by the Lynchers Now Searching the Woods.

AN ASSASSINATION STARTED THE TROUBLE.

The Whites Claim They Discovered a Plot of the Negroes to Slay Several White Men in the Vicinity.

Texarkana, Ark., March 24.—A race war is on in Little River county, this state, and during the past three days an indefinite number of negroes have met their death at the hands of the infuriated white population. Seven are known to have been lynched, being shot to death or slain in some manner, and the work is not yet done.

The bodies of the victims of the mob's vengeance are hanging to the limbs of trees in various parts of the county, strung up wherever overtaken, while that of another who was shot to death while trying to escape was thrown into a creek and left for the fish to feed upon.

The country is in a state of the most intense excitement. White men are collected in mobs heavily armed and determined; negroes are fleeing for their lives and the community is in an uproar. The exact number of negroes who have been summarily dealt with, or those who may yet fall into the hands of the mob before order is restored, may never be known.

The known dead to date are: General Duckett, Edwin Goodwin, Adam King, Joseph Jones, Ben Jones, Moses Jones and an unknown man.

Joe King and John Johnson were taken in hand by the mob and whipped and were afterward turned loose and have disappeared.

Little River county is in the extreme southwest corner of the state, bordering on the west by the Indian Territory and on the south by Texas. The negro population is large and has for a long time proved very troublesome to the whites. Frequent murders have occurred and thefts and fights have become common affairs. One of the two negroes have previously been severely dealt with when the people found it necessary to take the law into their own hands, but it was not until Tuesday that the trouble took on a very serious aspect. It then developed that carefully laid plans had been made by a number of negroes to precipitate a race war, and that many white men had been marked for victims. It is learned that 23 negroes were implicated in this plot and the whites are now bent on meting out summary punishment to the entire coterie of conspirators. Seven men have been killed and the work of wiping out the entire list continues.

Two whose names were on the list of conspirators got a good start of the mob who were detailed to look after them and these succeeded in reaching the Texas state line before being captured.

However, they did not escape. They were overtaken and swung up without ceremony.

The trouble arose over the killing of James Stockton by Duckett.

Just prior to the lynching of Duckett, the negroes had planned the inauguration of a race war. Duckett was the leader and at his death the negroes let the matter out and the citizens became greatly enraged.

In the gang that was plotting for a race war were 23 negroes and it is likely that the entire number have already been strung up in the thickets.

The place where the trouble occurred is several miles from any town of communication and it is difficult to obtain details as the people are very reluctant about giving out the news.

THREE MORE LYNCHED.

Two of Them Were Hanged and One Shot to Death.

Texarkana, March 24.—Three more dead negroes have been found in the Red river bottoms between New Boston, Tex., and Rocky Comfort, Ark. Two of them, Joe King and Moses Jones, having been hanged or shot to death. The third body was entirely naked when found.

Many sensational reports are reaching here from the scene of the disturbance, but very little authentic information can be gathered. One report states the whites are still out in organized posses and are hunting the leaders in the negro revolutionary plot with the avowed intention of stringing them up when found. Another report says negroes recovering from the panicky terror and securing arms, threaten vengeance on the whites. If the latter proves true serious trouble may result.

Will Hasten Their Return.

Washington, March 24.—Adjutant General Corbin has undertaken to get all of the volunteers out of Cuba by April 25, and arrangements are now being perfected with that end in view. This is fully two weeks within the limit of May 10 set by the president before he left for the south. The proportions of the undertaking may be realized when it is remembered that 23 regiments must be transported by sea to the United States ports within a month.

Bryan at Memphis.

Memphis, March 24.—W. J. Bryan arrived here early this morning and was met by the local committee and escorted to the Peabody hotel, where a public reception was held in the afternoon. Tonight Mr. Bryan will deliver a lecture at the auditorium under the auspices of the Nineteenth Century club. He will go from here to Little Rock.

Sentenced for Burglary.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 24.—Jacob Brown and Posey Payne, who have court records in St. Louis and Kansas City, were sentenced to three years in prison here for burglary. The sentence was tempered from the fact that the men pleaded guilty without a long contest.

Found No Trace of Andre.

Ottawa, March 24.—After more than two years' search in Alaska for the lost north pole explorer, Andre, Dr. A. T. Terragone has returned without finding any trace of the explorer.

Mrs. Esterbrook Dead.

New York, March 24.—Mrs. Rachel Esterbrook, widow of the celebrated pen maker, is dead at her home in Plainfield, N. J., aged 87 years.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

City election Tuesday, April 4, 1899.

For Marshal.

The Eagle is authorized to announce T. P. BOYETT as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal of Bryan at the ensuing April election.

For Secretary.

The Eagle is authorized to announce H. G. RHODES as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Secretary of Bryan at the ensuing April election.

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